



Wainwright S. Div. Board Meeting

Minutes of the Meeting held at the office of the Secretary on Thursday, July 28, 1949.

Minutes of the last two meetings of the Board were read and on motion of Mr. Zajic adopted as read.

Mr. D. R. Saul of Chauvin met and discussed with the Board insurance rates respecting schools in the Division.

Hill—that our present insurance policy be continued and that the proper insurance be placed on all buildings under construction until the completion of same at which time the insurance shall be offered to local agents for quotations. Car.

Dixon—that the matter of a furnace for the Cresthill School building now at Ribstone be left in the hands of Dr. Folkens, Cd.

Dixon—that we adjourn until 1:30 p.m. Cd.

Dixon—that in the event of no further tenders being received for the Plaxto-Battle Heights route that Mr. Cecil Fletcher's tender at the rate of \$8.00 per day be accepted for the transportation of the pupils from the Plaxto S.D. to that of Battle Heights. Cd.

Dixon—that we tender the Park Road bus route as of last year and that tenders be considered on Fri. August 12, 1949. Cd.

Dixon—that we tender the Greenhills-House Lake bus route and that tenders be considered on August 12, 1949. Cd.

Dixon—that the Supt's recommendation re Battle Creek pupils be carried out and that parents be advised of same. Cd.

The secretary was instructed to advise the successful tenderer for the St. Jean Baptiste bus route that the route is to be extended one mile to pick up Mr. Leithers at the children.

Dixon—that the Mayfield School be closed for the year 1949-50 and that conveyance payments be allowed for parents concerned. Cd.

Folkens—that the secretary with Mr. Lawson act as a committee to make arrangements for a teacherage in the "Holt Colony" and further that a school building be arranged for in the Lynx school district for the year 1949-50. Cd.

McLeod—that Mr. Simonson's report be accepted with the Board's recommendations concerning same. Cd.

McLeod—that the office be authorized to call for tenders immediately upon the receipt of the Wainwright School plans. Cd.

Hill—that Mr. Griffiths contact Mr. Reid with respect to having the lighting system changed in the Battle Heights School before the opening of school if possible. Cd.

Lawson—that we tender for sale the school barn at the Chauvin School site. Cd.

Zajic—that we tender for sale the land and buildings of the Roros S.D. and that the tenders for same be considered at the next meeting of the Board on August 26, 1949. Cd.

Dixon—that accounts be paid in the amount of \$23,261.57 and that same be included in the minutes of this meeting. Cd.

Hill—that the following teachers resignations be accepted with regret. Cd.

K. C. McPherson—Ribstone
Miss F. Duggan—Killarney
Miss D. Exley—Greenhills
J. Taylor—House Lake
Miss J. T. Black—Edgerton
A. H. Elford—Irma (leave of ab.)
Miss L. Darnes—Glenholm
Miss L. Hurnanen—Albert
Mrs. R. Parsons—Battle Heights
Mrs. M. E. Tondou—Battle Creek
Miss C. Corrigan—Giles
Mrs. M. J. Overbo—Masco
Miss M. Fath—Orindale
Miss J. Heffner—Pelican
Mrs. W. Whidden—Straw Plains

Zajic—that we adjourn. Cd.
Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday, August 26, beginning at 9 a.m.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all those who came and the ones who took part in our contest on August 1.
—Irma Machine Works.

Irma Sports Day Howling Success

Irma's first community sports day for many years really showed that we should have been doing this every year. The co-operation and work put forward by our citizens of Irma and district was really gratifying to the organizers. The parade was really monstrous considering the size of the town and was made up of decorative floats, comic floats, decorated bicycles, saddle horses, decorated cars, farm machinery and last but not least several very fine teams of horses, some pulling floats and others putting on a very appreciative show.

The baseball games between our locals and Edmonton, although both won by Irma, provided very fine entertainment to fill in the day. All the softball games, kiddie races, junior baseball, etc., were topped off with a rip-roaring dance at night in Kiefers Hall and everybody went home tired but happy and looking forward to next year when we could make it bigger and better.

Winners will be published next week.

Glen-Coa Gleanings

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Mitchell of South Dakota sprang a surprise visit recently on their aunt, Mrs. J. Larson, and the Spring family. More surprises of this nature took place last Sunday for Fluevog when Mr. and Mrs. T. Lyng and two little daughters of Wetaskiwin came along unexpectedly.

Sigmund and Edythe Gulbraa are holidaying at Consort with their grandparents.

A newcomer to our district is Eigil Vaage from Norway who is working for Mr. Joe Gulbraa.

Vacation Bible School at Sharon is full, with Miss Nora Rudland of Viking as teacher. There is excellent attendance again as the various church members take turns in transporting the children to the church. This is a very fine gesture and is much appreciated by both teacher and pupils.

Arthur Lovig and Dale Fuder are out on a visit to the H. Fuder farm.

Ladies' Aid will be held at the home of Mrs. O. Likness on Thursday, August 11.

We are sorry to report that several of our community have been on the sick list. We hope everybody will soon be over colds and what-have-you which doesn't seem very suitable for summer.

Other freak happenings took place during the electric storm of early Monday morning, July 25. Lightning struck a granary in Geo. Pedel's yard. It made a hole in the peak of the roof, followed a bed spring to some grain on the floor, then went out through one side of the granary, just missing the car wheel by a few inches.

During the same storm an electric light bulb in the hall of Joe Gulbraa's home was shattered. However, aside from a burning odor there was no other damage to be found.

NEWS ITEMS FROM JARROW

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holt and boys have spent the past week in the B. A. district. Upon their return to the city they plan to motor to California where they will visit with Mrs. Holt's brother and family.

The Ladies Aid will meet at the home of Mrs. W. R. Meakin on Wednesday, August 10. Hostesses will be Mrs. G. Bridgeman and Mrs. P. Wright. Visitors always welcome.

Rev. Henley of Lashburn, Sask., has now taken over the services on the Jarrow field.

Mr. Julian, the student minister was forced to resign because of illness. Our best wishes go with them and hope that the rest will improve his health so that he can carry on with his chosen work.

Baseball News



IRMA TAKES DOUBLE-HEADER ON SPORTS DAY

Irma seniors again came out on top in their baseball. First game with Edmonton was a three to two ball game until the seventh inning, when Irma had their little batting spree to the tune of nine runs. Final score being 12 to 3 for Irma. Phil Inklin was the pitcher, and hurled a swell game.

In the second game it looked like Irma wasn't doing so good. Edmonton scored four in the first inning and three in the second to Irma's one in each. However, again Irma had a rally and scored five runs, tying the ball game up. Edmonton were still going strong, they came back with another run, making it 8 to 7 for them. But the Irma team never say die and came back with two more runs, making the final score 9 to 8 for Irma.

The total record now stands at twenty wins, two ties and five losses.

Easterly Echoes

The regular meeting of the Roseberry FUA will be held at the school on August 10. The lunch committee to be Mrs. N. Willerton and Mrs. Geo. Likness.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Burton at the Wainwright hospital on July 26, a son.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. W. Crabb at the Wainwright hospital on July 27, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robt. Dempsey were recent visitors to Sedgewick. Mrs. Christianson of Seattle, Wash., who has been attending the Bible School at Heath spent a short visit with her old friend Mrs. K. Stougaard.

The members of the Battle River W.L., husbands and families, as well as others of the Sunny Brae and Crescent Hill districts gathered for their annual basket picnic at the river. As the river was so swift and high due to recent rains, no swimming was indulged in, but a feature of the afternoon was the boat rides in Mr. Ralph King's boat with the owner at the controls. For many it was a novel experience, especially going over the rapids. We all say thanks, Ralph. A football game between the men and the boys, with pop for the kiddies following supper brought an enjoyable day to a close.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Stewart of Edmonton were visitors at the formers' home, Mr. and Mrs. W. Milten.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Taylor and family are away by motor to Medicine Hat. Mrs. Enger Sr. expects to return with them.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Breitenback (nee Agnes Savard) of Vancouver, are visiting the latter's brother, Mr. Jack Savard and also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Savard of Irma.

Northern Nuggets

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Bjork and boys visited friends and relatives in the district this past week-end. We are happy to report that Mr. Francis Lukens is home from hospital now.

Mr. A. E. Cox is spending a few days at the Leigh Currie home.

The Albert ball team held a very successful ball tournament last Wednesday.

There will be an FUA meeting at Orindale school Tuesday evening, August 9th.

CARD OF THANKS

Members of the Albert Ball Team wish to take the opportunity to thank the people who helped in any way at their sports. A special thanks to the ladies who donated pies and the orchestra who donated the music for the dance.

Bring and Buy Sale To Highlight W.L. Meeting

At the September meeting of the Irma Ladies Aid a Bring and Buy Sale is being tried for added interest. Each person will bring an article of any kind. It may be a dozen eggs, some cream, baking, handwork or any other article. The lady to whom it appeals will purchase it. We would like to see a good turnout of both members and visitors at this meeting.

Don't forget the Irma Ladies Aid meeting is to be held at the home of Mrs. Tripp on August 11. Devotionals, Mrs. McKay, Topic, Mrs. McLean and hostess Mrs. Tripp.

Mr. and Mrs. Carter Return From Trip

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Carter of the Wainwright High School Dormitory returned the first of the month from their holiday trip to their former homes at DeBert, N.S. and Napan, N.B.

They report a very enjoyable trip and saw a great many changes in the people and places in the thirty and forty odd years since leaving there. Having spent the greater part of their lives in Alberta, they both agree they would not change the wide open spaces of the West for the beauty of the East.

In their absence, their son Ernest has been attending Summer school at the University in Edmonton and Colin is spending his holidays with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Carter in Calgary.

Sports Committee Extends Thanks

The Sports Committee of the Irma and District Board of Trade wish to thank all those who joined together to make last Monday Irma's biggest Sports Day for many years. We wish to especially thank those who so willingly gave up most of the day and part of the night in assisting in the booth and at other jobs so that the day would be a success.

If there were any people who thought that Irma could not put on a day such as this, it was certainly proven by the co-operation and work put forward that they were wrong.

We attempted to get a complete write-up of the parade and day in this week's issue but due to the clean-up process it just can't be done but we will list the parade participants next week and give you the winners of all the different events.



ED McCURDY, balladeer and folk singer, is heard each week on Fridays (CBW 8:15 p.m.; CBX 4:15 p.m.). In addition to his broadcasting with CBC, Ed has been busy in Toronto making recordings of some of the favorites he does on the air. Among those recently released for sale to the public are "Riders in the Sky," "The Ballad of Frank Slide," "Lucky's Boat," "Black-Eyed Susan," and a famous Newfoundland song, "The Squid Jiggin' Ground."

Battle River W.L. Half Yearly Program

Place of Meeting and Hostesses

July, Mrs. Stougaard—Mrs. Stougaard, Mrs. Enger.
August, Mrs. Pascha—Mrs. McFarland, Mrs. Sanders.
Sept., Mrs. Dootson—Mrs. Dootson, Mrs. Steele.
Oct., Mrs. Alf Bacon—Mrs. Alf Bacon, Mrs. Dempsey.
Nov., Mrs. R. King—Mrs. R. King, Mrs. Patterson.
Dec., Mrs. Fenton—Mrs. Morse, Mrs. Barton.

Roll Call

July—My Most Distasteful Task.
Aug.—My Wedding Anniversary Date.
Sept.—Where you Would Like to Spend a Holiday and Why.
Oct.—A Penny an Inch for your Waistline.
Nov.—My Pet Peeve.
Dec.—Exchange of Xmas cards and gifts.

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News Items From Kinsella District

Mr. Jerome and George Hajek have been visiting at the home of their parents Mr. and Mrs. F. Hajek.

Miss A. Loades and sons, Mason Davis spent a few days at the home of their mother, taking in the sports there.

Mrs. K. Glover of North Dakota is spending the summer with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. Beschell.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Paterson and their daughter Marilyn have returned from their trip to the U.S. and B.C.

Miss Marlene McNall is home again after spending two weeks with her aunt and uncle in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Simmermon of Irma, were visitors at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. Simmonson a few days last week.

Visitors to the Czar stampede included Mr. and Mrs. O. Skori and family, Mr. and Mrs. O. Olsenberg, Mr. and Mrs. L. Pederson and family, Mr. J. McKie and Malcolm.

Miss Aletha Hodgins was successful in passing her Toronto Conservatory of Music exam held at Wainwright in June.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barber and two sons who motored from eastern Canada were visiting relatives and friends in Kinsella and district last week.

Mrs. F. Jack was tea hostess on Wednesday, and Mrs. Stevens entertained a number of friends at the tea hour on Friday in honor of Mrs. M. Wilkinson of Calgary, who has been visiting in the district for the last three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Holt of Edmonton have been visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Mark.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie Brown and family are home again after their holiday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Greenwood and family report having enjoyed their trip to the States.

There will be a picture show in the Memorial Hall on Wednesday after the sports at 8:30 p.m.

The Ladies Aid will meet in the church on Thursday, August 4 at 3 p.m.

Donations in memory of the late Mr. F. Green, to the Church Improvement Fund: Mrs. T. Johnston and Mr. T. Johnston and Mr. and Mrs. C. Arkinstall and Bruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Revill and Audrey have returned after a trip to Jasper, Banff and Calgary.

Church News

AVONGLEN GOSPEL MISSION

Services for week of Aug. 7 to 13 SUNDAY:

10:40 a.m.—Sunday School and Bible Class.
11:40 a.m.—Morning Worship Service.

TUESDAY:
8 p.m.—Bible study and Prayer service.

"Which shall I choose today, the hard or easy way; to seek some soul to bless or stay in idleness; for some cause to sacrifice, or simply close my eyes; work out God's plan for me, or set my passions free; climb upward on my knees, or only seek for ease; walk where the Martins trod, or scorn the claims of God?"

You are always welcome to every service.—Rev. R. E. Oswald.

IRMA GOSPEL MISSION

Christian and Missionary Alliance

Sunday, August 7

10:45—Sunday School and Bible Class.

11:45—Worship Service.

8 p.m.—Evening Service.

ALBERT SCHOOL

3 p.m.—S.S. School and Bible Class.

3:45—Worship Service.

Monday, August 8

IRMA

8 p.m.—Special service showing slides etc. on the Lords work in Alaska.

The Rev. Geo. H. Lovelace will be the guest speaker at all of the above services. Be sure and come and go away with a blessing. He is enroute to the field under the Alaska Evangelization Society.

We extend to all a hearty welcome to our services. Come and fellowship with us.

Pastor, Geo. E. Warnock.
"Therefore be the deeds of the law shall no flesh be justified in His sight." Rom. 3:20.

UNITED CHURCH SERVICES

Sunday, August 7

Passchendale—11:15 a.m.

Roseberry—3 p.m.

Irma Sunday School—11 a.m.

Worship—8 p.m.

Isaiah 59:1: Behold the Lord's hand is not shortened that it cannot save; neither his ear heavy that it cannot hear.

Come and let us worship God on His Holy Day.—Rev. H. W. Inglis.

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The Irma Machine Shop is sure a

great spot

They'll make you a door or just a

wee pot

They'll sell you a combine or make

you a plough

And it won't be next year, they'll

do it right now.

—By Kathleen Yonkers.

This verse describes the Irma

Machine Shop very well.

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

AUNT ELLA'S BEAUX ::

She Used Jim For Boit.

By RUTH K. KENT

AUNT ELLA got married today and won't be living with us any more. Mamma's crying. I'm crying, too, and it's all the fault of those scratchy blankets in my bed.

They liked me awake one night when Aunt Ella was visiting us. She slept in the next room with Aunt Annie and I heard her say, "Ella, why don't you marry Jim?"

Aunt Ella said, "Jim hasn't asked me." Jim was Aunt Annie's brother-in-law. He talked a lot, and I heard mamma tell papa once that Jim stayed out too late. I didn't like him.

"He would ask," Aunt Annie said, "if you'd get rid of Walter."

Walter supervised the mine and came down week ends. He had nice eyes and big shoulders. He was sort of beautiful. I liked Walter.

But what could a girl do about things like that? I thought and thought about it, especially every time Jim came. He was so fresh. He called mamma "Cutie", and put his arm around me and pinched when Aunt Ella wasn't looking. I decided to ask Fern about it. Fern was a neighbor girl. Mamma didn't like me to play with her because she said that Fern was too wise. And I knew mamma and Aunt Ella didn't like Fern's big sister, Flossie. "She wears thin blouses," mamma said. "She's loud and impossible," Aunt Ella said. But Fern was wise so I told her my troubles.

"Huh," Fern said, "if your aunt doesn't want Jim, send him over. Flossie'll take him."

"If she can get him," I said. I spent lots of evenings looking down the register that was right over the base burner in the dining room. But Jim always pulled Ella into a corner where I couldn't see, and they talked so low I couldn't hear. For all I knew they were engaged. Every time I thought about that I got desperate. And to make things worse, Walter hadn't been down for a month.

Mamma and papa left me with Aunt Ella one Saturday night. Then Walter came. He brought Aunt Ella a bunch of violets and for a minute her eyes looked like the flowers. "Oh Walter, how sweet," she said, and my heart got excited. But I didn't stay happy long. The bell rang. It

was Jim, and he brought a dozen big chrysanthemums. They shamed Walter's bouquet. Jim was talking as much as ever, how good he could dance. He said, "I thought we might go dancing."

Aunt Ella looked sort of mixed up. "Do you want to go, Walter?" she asked.

"Not particularly," he said. "He can stay home with Teenie here," Jim said. He pulled me down on the couch, put his arm around me and pinched hard. It felt awful. I slapped his face.

Aunt Ella shook me. "I'm ashamed," she said. "Go in the kitchen and stay there."

"Now, Ella," I heard Walter say as I left the room. And I heard Jim laugh.

All right for you, Aunt Ella, I thought. Mamma told old Jim and get pinched. I slammed the door. But I kept worrying about Aunt Ella. Somebody had to do something.

I went out and ran down the alley. I was lucky, Flossie was home. "Come on over," I said. "Aunt Ella has two beaux."

Aunt Ella never did speak to Flossie on the street, so she like to die

Receipts From Farm Products Are Higher

Preliminary figures issued by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in July, indicate that during the first three months of 1949, farmers' receipts from the sale of farm products amounted to \$406,386,000 as compared with \$380,006,000 in 1948 and \$338,779,000 in 1947, a gain of 6.9 per cent, and 21.7 per cent, respectively.

Compared with a year ago, cash income from the sale of field crops at \$133,378,000 for the first quarter of 1949, was up more than 30 per cent. This increase can be largely attributed to the increases in the marketings of the five principal grains and a higher price for wheat. With the exception of cattle and calves, the 1949 marketings of livestock were down this year as against last. Prices on the other hand were, without exception higher than a year ago, with the index of livestock prices indicating an overall increase of more than 20 per cent.

Hogs Bring Highest Price At Edmonton

EDMONTON.—An unexpected high in prices for grade "A" hogs for shipment on the Edmonton market was hit when prices soared to \$35 per hundredweight, dressed weight basis.

The \$35 figure was the highest price paid for grade "A" hogs in Canada, about \$1 more than that paid on the Toronto market.

Scarcity of hogs and increased demand for pork products in Canada were given as reasons for the high price.

RECIPES

ALMOND WHIPPED CREAM CAKE

1 cup whipping cream chilled
1 cup granulated sugar
3 eggs, separated
2 cups pastry flour
3 tps. baking powder
2-3 tsp. almond flavoring
1-2 tsp. vanilla
1 tsp. salt

Method: Whip the chilled cream until thick. Add the egg yolks, and continue beating, adding the sugar gradually. Add the almond flavoring and vanilla and then fold in the sifted flour, baking powder and salt. Carefully add the stiffly beaten egg whites. Bake in an angel cake pan for 30 to 40 minutes in a moderate oven (375 deg. F.).

MELTING MOMENTS

1 cup melted butter, or part shortening
1/2 cup brown sugar
1 egg
1 1/2 cup sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
1/2 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon vanilla

Combine shortening, butter and sugar. Add egg and vanilla, and beat well. Add dry ingredients, sifted together. This cookie must be chilled. Then drop from teaspoon on well greased cookie sheet about 1 1/2 inches apart. Place a cherry on top and bake at 350 deg. F. for about 10 minutes, or until done.

FIND NEW HOMES

WINNIPEG.—Between 500 and 600 displaced persons from Europe have arrived in Manitoba in the last two months. Most of them have been placed on best growing areas around Winnipeg and the majority are family groups.

Winnipeg, Man. 2840

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Grand Champion Bulls



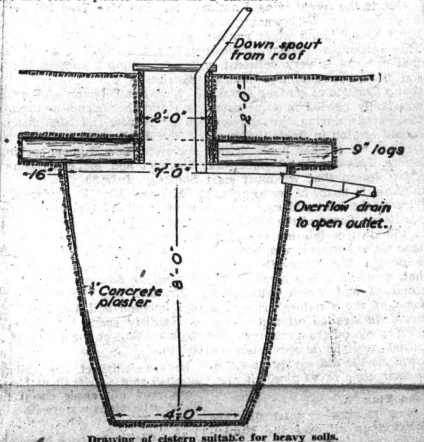
Left, senior and grand champion Hereford bull at Brandon, Lakesview Lad 1245, shown at the Provincial Exhibition at Brandon, Manitoba, by Richardson Stock Farms, Winnipeg; Redvux 1245, senior and grand champion Red Poll bull shown at Brandon for R. L. Mueller & Sons, Arlington, Minnesota.

Concrete Plaster Cistern Western Briefs

WATER storage is a problem, but one which fortunately has several solutions, depending on the location, the financial requirements, etc. It is possible to construct a cistern by simply digging a hole and plastering the bottom and sides with concrete. The drawing shows such a cistern constructed underground outside, but there is no reason why such a structure should not be located in the cellar of a house if desired. It is usually best to make the shape of the cistern somewhat like that in the drawing, as the slope of the walls gives them more stability than they would have if vertical.

The excavation should be made as smooth as possible, then given a coat of plaster made of 1 part of cement to 2 1/2 parts of screened sand. Before this coat of plaster hardens the

surface should be scored or scratched so as to make a good key for the second coat. Three coats of plaster having a total thickness of not less than 3/4 of an inch is most desirable. It would not be necessary for you to use heavy timbers as cover for this cistern, though not less than 3 such timbers should be laid across the top of it to hold a plank floor which should be nailed to the timbers and so placed as to be flush with the remainder of the cellar floor. One of the important accessories to such a cistern is the overflow drain, which should consist of not less than 4 inch farm drain tile, run to a suitable outlet in some open ditch or other low ground near the house. This overflow drain is particularly important where a cistern is to be located in a basement.



Drawing of cistern suitable for heavy soils.

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Alberta Accepts Oil Reserve Bids

EDMONTON.—Five bids, totaling \$2,851,526 for petroleum and natural gas leases on eight quarter-sections of crown reserves in and around the Redwater oil field, have been accepted by the Alberta government. Hon. N. E. Tanner, minister of mines and minerals, announced.

Top price was \$626,000 by Anglo-Canadian Oil Co. Ltd. for 159 acres adjoining partly-proven acreage of Pacific Petroleum Co. Ltd. and associated companies in the field 35 miles northeast of Edmonton.

REGINA FESTIVAL DATES

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Mr. Underwood had two lemons from the plant. The first one, almost as large as the one on display, was put to good use. It filled two nine-inch lemon pies.

Finest Quality Tea

"SALABA" ORANGE PEKOE

—By Chuck Thurston

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Western Briefs

REPORTS OIL FIND

SASKATOON.—C. H. Withers of Regina said he had found a new oil structure eight miles northeast of Maidstone, which is 35 miles east of the Lloydminster, Sask., oil field. Two wells were already producing.

The contact sand was about 100 feet shallower than that at Lloydminster, with oil level and gravity about the same.

PEOUILLAR ACCIDENT

RAYMOND, Alta.—John Kaesh, about 50, suffocated to death when a pile of bulk sugar he was shovelling in a large bin at a sugar factory cascaded down on him. An employee had warned him that the sugar was in danger of sliding down on him but he continued shovelling.

NEW PRESIDENT

WINNIPEG.—J. R. McLachlan of the Virdee, Man, Empire Advance was elected president of the Manitoba branch of the Canadian Weekly Newspaper association at its 30th annual convention here.

ATTENDANCE HIGHER

YORKTON.—Despite three days of cold weather and a heavy rain on the final day, attendance at the Yorkton exhibition was 1,202 higher than last year. Total figures showed paid attendance to the grounds was 16,568 this year in comparison with 15,568 in 1948. Total grandstand attendance was 11,786 as against 11,101 a year ago.

READY FOR BUSINESS

CHANDREY PORTAGE, Man.—Northern Canada's new whaling station at Churchill is beginning operations according to information received here. Whales will be packed and frozen and shipped for milk and fox feed. Edible oils will also be placed on the market and by-products sold for fertilizer, etc.

APHID LOSS LARGE

southwestern Manitoba will cause a loss of 100,000 acres of oats and barley, valued at between \$1,000,000 and \$1,500,000, H. E. Wood, provincial commissioner, estimated.

VISITOR IMPRESSED WITH WESTERN FARMS

CARROT RIVER, Sask.—A visitor from India here, said to observe the co-operative farms, said he was impressed with the vast expanse of the farms and mentioned that in India as many as 60 farmers worked on a section, allowing 10 acres to a farmer.

He was R. P. Mathur of the agro-economic department of the University of Wisconsin at Madison.

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Announcement

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every Saturday, commencing Saturday, July 30th
APPOINTMENTS AT WALKER'S JEWELRY

MD of Wainwright With the Hold Meeting Field Supervisor

By F. W. Maddex
Wainwright

Field Days

The Council of the MD of Wainwright No. 61 met in the Council Room of the MD on Thursday, the 14th day of July, 1945, at 9:00 o'clock in the forenoon.
Councillors Dallyn, Castle, Sutherland, Smale, Arthur and Archibald present.
Reeve Sutherland in the Chair.
Arthur—that the Minutes of 7th June, 1945, be accepted as written.
Cd.

Finance
Smale—that the accounts as recommended by the Finance Committee and subsequent accounts rendered amounting to \$44,897.27 be passed and paid. Cd.

Sutherland—that the Statement of Receipts and Expenditures for the Month ending June 30, 1945, be accepted and incorporated in the Minutes. Cd.

Smale—that the Reeve and Sec. Treas. be and are hereby authorized to borrow from the Treasury Branch the sum of \$16,000.00 to meet the Ordinary Municipal Expenditures. Cd.

Administration and Taxation
Sutherland—that the Cancellations amounting \$19.56 be approved. Cd.

Relief Grants and Health
Archibald—that the Committee's Report re: George Krozer, deceased, be accepted. Cd.

Correspondence read from the Director of Rural Health Units, Government of Alberta, as to the Camrose-Wainwright plan and ordered filed.
Castle—that the report of the Secretary re: Mrs. E. Flanagan, that this party has returned to the town of McLellan and that Expenditures made by this MD had been reimbursed by the said Mrs. Flanagan. Cd.

Municipal Property
By-law 265 concerning the sale N½ 17 and N½ 20-42-3-4 to Nelson C. McCluskey of Ribstone for \$400.00 cash presented.
It was moved and carried that by-law No. 265 pass its first, second and third reading.

By-law No. 266 concerning the sale NW, SW and SE 24-42-3-4 to Peter A. Forsdahl of Edgerton for \$500.00 cash presented.
It was moved and carried that by-law No. 266 pass its first, second and third reading.

Public Works
Archibald—that the Contract made with G. S. Vallee for Graveling dated June 27, 1945, be amended as to Section 3 payment for stripping overburden of Pits over 12 inches in depth to read "Government Rates to apply" instead of "\$11.00 per hour." Cd.

Sutherland—that the paymasters amounting to \$9,918.80 be paid when approved and signed by the Councillor concerned.

Archibald—that this MD be governed by Holiday with Pay Order No. 5 (1947) of the Alberta Labour Act and the Secretary report in detail at the August meeting of the Council. Cd.

Agricultural Service Board
Sutherland—that the report of the Field Supervisor dated June 4 to July 2, 1945, be received and filed with his records. Cd.

Protection to Persons and Property
Archibald—that the report of the Reeve and Secretary re: Cleat Lake area be accepted and that H. C. Mockford be appointed Police Constable under the same conditions as in the past. Cd.

Sutherland—that the following Ratepayers be appointed Honorary Fire Guardians as and from May 19, 1945:

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| Thos Armour Jr. | Div. 1 |
| F. C. McBride | Div. 2 |
| Sam Rajotte | Div. 3 |
| Jas. Lytle | Div. 4 |
| J. Black Jr. | Div. 5 |
| W. Woodward | Div. 6 |
| F. C. Wiese | Div. 7 |
| Cd. | |

No more business on hand.
Castle—that this meeting adjourn until August 11, 1945, at 9 a.m.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Charter returned from a months' holiday in the East.

Mr. V. H. Larson of Edmonton is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Mel-lott for two weeks, while Mr. R. Hanson is away at Ottawa on a shooting tournament.

With all the showers and sunshine the crops are progressing nicely, also the weeds.
Mr. and Mrs. S. Reeds have returned home from a very enjoyable month holiday in Eastern Canada visiting relatives and renewing old acquaintances of years gone by.

Great progress is being made on the new school being built here in Irma.

The three Cairn's boys were camping at Heath last week.

Lilly Cairn's was a visitor at Margaret Pedal's home for a week.
Word was received that Jim Hearn, an old friend of the district, is quite ill in the Royal Alec hospital in Edmonton and we all wish him a speedy recovery.

Cecil Miles was visiting at the Jackson farm a few days.
Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Wede left for a two week holiday to Grand Parle to visit their daughter Amy and her husband who are to leave for Toronto in a short time.

Miss Aletha Hill was a visitor to the city, taking in the fair.

Mr. A. Cairns has his mother and two sisters from Wetaskiwin and Louheed visiting him and his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill left for a holiday trip through Jasper, Banff and other points.

Mrs. Clarence Lovig of Edmonton is visiting friends in the Irma district.

Mrs. Art Peterson of Edmonton is visiting her friends and relatives in the Jarow and Irma districts.

The Anglican W.A. conducted a successful sale of home cooking in Kirkman and McLean's store on Saturday, July 30.

Mr. and Mrs. R. Fuder of Edmonton who have been visiting their family and friends here this last while left Tuesday morning for Jarow to finish their holiday with relatives there and are returning to Edmonton Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Terry of Edmonton and Mr. Bert Terry of Hardisty spent two days this week visiting at the home of Art Gwinn.

Irma and district was well represented at the Vermilion fair this week and all agree the Grand Stand attractions were well worth seeing.

Mrs. Clelland is back home again after a trip to White Horse to visit her daughter. She reports an enjoyable trip but due to recent rain the roads were treacherous to drive on.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Barber and family of Sudbury, Ont., motored out west and are spending a few days with their uncle Mr. W. T. Barber here at Irma.

There will be a meeting of the Irma Local FUA No. 154 in Irma High School on Tuesday, August 9th.

Mr. John Rae is enjoying a visit with his brother from Brooklyn, N.Y., whom he hasn't seen for 46 years. Also visiting at the Rae farm is Mr. M. Lockhart of Vancouver, B.C.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Rae enjoyed a visit last week from Mrs. Rae's sister, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Clay and family from Calgary.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

In the matter of the Estate of HALSTEN KNUDSON, Late of the district of Irma, Province of Alberta, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named Halsten Knudson, who died on or about the 20th day of May, 1945, are required to file with the undersigned by the 16th day of September, 1945, a full statement duly verified of the claims and of any securities held by them and that after that date the administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

SIGURD LEFSRUD,
Solicitor for the Administrator
Viking, Alberta.
5-12-19.

A coat of paint ordinarily is from one to three thousandths of an inch thick.

Wheat Pool Achievements



The Alberta Wheat Pool was organized by Alberta farmers some 25 years ago. Alberta Pool Elevators started business in 1920. Grain producers of Alberta put up over \$8 million to build Pool Elevator facilities. They did this because experience had taught them that only through the operation of their own co-operative grain handling system could they obtain protection and efficient service. By so doing Alberta grain producers are now freed from the shortcomings of monopoly control.

Alberta farmers have given generous support to Pool Elevators. The openness of operation and efficiency in directing and managing the Pool Elevator system has gained for this co-operative widespread respect and confidence.

In the years Pool Elevators has been in operation it has paid \$3,892,000 in cash patronage dividends, \$3,531,000 in reserves, and has redeemed reserve contributions from original Pool members to a total of \$4,864,000.

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Grain producers can become members of the Alberta Wheat Pool by the delivery of 500 bushels of grain to a Pool Elevator and the securing of Wheat Pool reserves to the value of \$5.00. Your local Pool Elevator agent will be pleased to give advice and assistance if you desire to apply for membership.

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DeForest mantle radio, dry pack, almost new. 2 Colman mantle lamps. Apply Mrs. Marshall.

FOR SALE

John Deere tractor; model A, with new rubber. Carl Anquist. 29-5

NOTICE TO FARMERS

Starting August 1st hogs will be received on Monday each week, instead of Friday.—G. T. P. Shipping Association, Carl Anquist. 29-5

KIEFER'S SHOWS

Friday Aug. 5—one show 8:40 p.m.

Bachelor and the Bobby Soxer
Cary Grant, Myrna Loy, Shirley Temple.
(Family Picture)

Friday, August 12
Connecticut Yankee
Bing Crosby, Rhonda Fleming.
2 shows 7 - 9 p.m. Family picture

Yale University has for two years been advertising to find applications for its \$420-a-year "Leavenworth Scholarship" open to men with the surname of Leavenworth.

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